
Ekalingamahatmye Gananayakastutih

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गजाननं सिद्धगणादिसेवितं कपित्थजम्बूफलसारभक्षितम् ।
उमासुतं शोकविनाशकारणं नमामि विघ्नेश्वरपादपङ्कजम् ॥ २८ ॥

मूषकोत्तममारुह्य देवासुरमहाहवे ।
योद्धुकामं महावीर्यं वन्देऽहं गणनायकम् ॥ २९ ॥

चित्रवस्त्रविचित्राङ्गचित्रमालाविभूषितम् ।
कामरूपधरं देवं वन्देऽहं गणनायकम् ॥ ३० ॥

॥ इति एकलिङ्गमाहात्म्ये त्रिंशोऽध्याये गणनायकस्तुतिः सम्पूर्णा ॥

Notes:

In chapter 30 of the EkalingāMāhātmyam एकलिङ्गमाहात्म्यम्, Vedagarbha वेदगर्भ responds to query by Suṣumāṇa सुषुमाण about overcoming obstacles, by detailing about the Gaṇeśa Śadaḥṣara Mantrarāja गणेश षडक्षर मन्त्रराज and Gaṇanāyaka StutiPūjā गणनायक स्तुतिपूजा that was transmitted to the Devāḥ देवाः by Rṣi Atharvan ऋषि अथर्वन्.

EkalingāMāhātmyam एकलिङ्गमाहात्म्यम्, that constitutes a SthalaPurāṇa स्थलपुराण and SthalaMāhātmyam स्थलमाहात्म्यम्, has been composed in two styles - Paurāṇika पौराणिक and Kāvyaṁyaya काव्यमय. It includes the descriptions about the manifestation of the Ekalingā Śiva Kṣetra एकलिङ्ग शिव क्षेत्र in relation to the story of the duo - Baṣpa Rājā बाष्प राजा - Hārīta Muni हारीत मुनि, and the lineage of kings of Citrakūṭa चित्रकूट (now k.a. Cittaṛaḡaṛha चित्तौडगढ) and Medapāṭa मेदपाट (now k.a. Mevāra मेवाड) including Mahārāṇā Kumbhā महाराणा कुम्भा.

Baṣpa Rājā बाष्प राजा is now popularly known as Bappā Rāvala बप्पा रावल.

The VāyuPurāṇam वायुपुराणम् has been attributed to be the source composition of EkalingāMāhātmyam एकलिङ्गमाहात्म्यम् as the main narrator of the same is Vāyu वायु.

EkaliṅgaMāhātmyam - Paurāṇika एकलिङ्गमाहात्म्यम् - पौराणिक is composed in 32 chapters that, with a brief summary of each chapter; and the EkaliṅgaMāhātmyam - Kāvyaamayam एकलिङ्गमाहात्म्यम् - काव्यमयम् can be accessed from the respective links given below.

EkaliṅgaMāhātmyam - Kāvyaamayam एकलिङ्गमाहात्म्यम् - काव्यमयम् includes description of the lineage of Baṣpa Rājā बाष्प राजा, Stuti स्तुति of the erudite Mahārāṇā Kumbhā महाराणा कुम्भा i.e. Kumbhakarāṇa कुम्भकरण, and the Pañcāyatana Stuti पञ्चायतन स्तुति. The latter comprises of Stuti-s of Ganeśa गणेश, Sūrya सूर्य, Nārāyaṇa नारायण, Śiva शिव, Caṇḍikā चण्डिका and Ekaliṅga Śiva एकलिङ्ग शिव.

It is noteworthy that the Pañcāyatana Stuti पञ्चायतन स्तुति has some names associated with Kumbhā कुम्भा such that he is remembered with each of the Deity worshipped with this stuti. Towards conclusion, there is EkaliṅgaNamaskāra एकलिङ्गनमस्कार.

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